# St. Louis City Ordinance 63918

## FLOOR SUBSTITUTE BOARD BILL NO. [96] 224 INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN PAUL M. BECKERLE

An ordinance pertaining to the resale of tickets to sporting events, theatrical and musical performances, circuses, and other places of amusement; exempting, from the provisions of Section One of Ordinance 30699, approved March 20, 1920, as codified in Section 8.102.010 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, any person, persons, association, or corporation who resells any tickets to athletic and sporting events, theatrical and musical performances, circuses, shows, exhibitions, and other places of amusement at a price equal to or less than the price being charged at the regular ticket office or selling place of such performance or event; furthermore prohibiting the resale of any such ticket by any person, persons, associations, or corporation, at a price higher than is being charged at the regular ticket office or selling place of such performance or event; and containing a penalty clause and an emergency clause.

#### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. The provisions of Section One of Ordinance 30699, approved March 20, 1920, as codified in Section 8.102.010 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, shall not apply to any person, persons, association, or corporation who resells any tickets to athletic and sporting events, theatrical and musical performances, circuses, shows, exhibitions, and other places of amusement at a price equal to or less than the price being charged at the regular ticket office or selling place of such performance or event.

SECTION TWO. The resale of any tickets to athletic and sporting events, theatrical and musical performances, circuses, shows, exhibitions, and other places of amusement by any person, persons, associations, or corporations at a price higher than is being charged at the regular ticket office or selling place of such performance or event shall be prohibited.

#### SECTION THREE. PENALTY

a. Any person found guilty of violating Section Two herein shall be fined an amount of not less than \$250.00 nor more than \$500.00.

- b. For any subsequent conviction of Section Two a fine of not less than \$500.00 shall be required.
- c. The judge may, in lieu of fine, impose no less than 40 hours community service for persons convicted of violating Section Two of this ordinance.

### SECTION FOUR. EMERGENCY CLAUSE.

This being an ordinance for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety, it is hereby declared to be an emergency measure within the meaning of Sections 19 and 20 of Article IV of the Charter of the City of St. Louis and therefore shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the mayor.

Legislative History					
1ST READING	REF TO COMM	COMMITTEE	COMM SUB	COMM AMEND	VOTE
10/11/96	10/11/96	LEG			
2ND READING	FLOOR AMEND	FLOOR SUB	VOTE	PERFECTN	PASSAGE
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